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SUBJECT: CYPRUS: MORE VIOLENCE ON GREEK SIDE

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1. TWO GREEK CYPRIOTS (ONE BROTHER OF MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING GRIVAS LIEUTENANT) MURDERED IN LIMASSOL NIGHT JUNE 22. BOTH SHOT DOWN BY AUTOMATIC WEAPON FIRE WHILE RIDING IN CAR IN CENTER OF CITY.

2. AT SAME TIME, THREE TIME BOMBS EXPLODED AT NICOSIA HEADQUARTERS TACTICAL RESERVE, ADJOINING MAIN ATHALASSA POLICE STATION. AREA UNDER STRICT SECURITY. SIX VEHICLES DESTROYED AND TWO POLICEMEN SLIGHTLY INJURED. BOMBS ALSO EXPLODED OUTSIDE HOUSE MAKARIOS CONFIDANT ANDREAS AZINAS, AT GARAGE BELONGING TO MINCOMMERCE MICHAEL COLOCASSIDES, AND AT FACTORY BELONGING TO MINHEALTH SEVERIS.

3. JUNE 22 BOMBING ESEA SEC GEN PAPAPHOTIS, AND STRING OF ANTI- GRIVAS INCIDENTS PRECEDING IT, HAVE TORN
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WHATEVER TRUCE WAS IN EXISTENCE. IN PARTICULAR, BOMBING OF
HIGHLY GUARDED ATHALASSA POLICE STATION HAS HIGH SYMBOLIC
CONTENT AND IS DIFFERENT ORDER OF MAGNITUDE FROM OTHER
RETALIATORY ACTIONS. ISSUE NOW IS NOT SO MUCH WHETHER
LOW- LEVEL INCIDENTS WILL CONTINUE AS WHETHER AGREEMENT
RESTRAINING ENOSISTS HAS BEEN IRREVOCABLY BROKEN.
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